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In re application of: Koos et al.

Application No.: 10/690,084

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Title: METHOD FOR FABRICATION OF  
SEMICONDUCTOR INTERCONNECT  
STRUCTURE WITH REDUCED CAPACITANCE,  
LEAKAGE CURRENT, AND IMPROVED  
BREAKDOWN VOLTAGE



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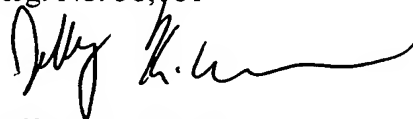
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